

PRISM

INTERNATIONAL PSALM CHANT COMPOSITION COMPETITION 2024



Thank you for your interest in PRISM's inaugural International Psalm Chant Composition Competition. Established to foster creativity and connections across the globe, this is a fantastic opportunity to let your composition skills and creativity shine through an original composition of an Anglican psalm chant to be sung in the context of a church service.

The psalm chant should be 14 bars in length (a typical double Anglican psalm chant). The chant should be scored for unaccompanied SATB voices and may include limited use of divisi. The chant submitted must be original and composed in 2024.

Competition Entry Details

The competition is open to all ages, to established and novice composers alike. For those under 18 years of age your entry must be submitted on behalf by a parent, mentor, or guardian with appropriate acknowledgement. Judges and members of PRISM's Board of Directors are not eligible to enter.

The competition closes at 11:59 p.m. GMT on Sunday, 28th July 2024 and winners will be announced on Monday, 2nd September 2024.

Compositions are to be submitted in PDF and emailed to <u>admin@harmonicprism.org</u>. They should not bear the name of the composer or any other identifying information. The accompanying email should detail the full name, email address, and contact phone number of the composer.

The winning entry will be awarded a monetary prize of £250 and the runner-up a monetary prize of £100. The judges reserve the right not to make an award if the standard of entries does not warrant it. The judges' decision is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.

The winner and runner-up agree to allow their name and photo to be used on PRISM's website for promotional purposes to do with the competition only. They also agree to make their composition available in the public domain, free of charge for use in public performance. A downloadable PDF copy of the score will be made available via PRISM's website, www.harmonicprism.org, with appropriate acknowledgement of the composer.

The Board of Directors at PRISM wish all entrants the best of luck. Let your creativity flow!